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PATENT APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL LETTER

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Transmitted herewith for filing is the patent application of:

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for SPEAKER ASSEMBLY

Enclosed are:

- (X) 27 pages of specification and claims.
(X) Abstract
(X) 16 sheet(s) of drawings.
(X) Declaration and Power of Attorney
(X) Applicant claims small entity status. 37 CFR 1.27
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BASIC FEE				\$370.00			\$740.00	
TOTAL CLAIMS	20-20	0	x\$ 9=	\$		x\$ 18=	\$	
INDEP. CLAIMS	3-3	0	x\$ 42=	\$		x\$ 84=	\$	
MULTIPLE DEP. CLAIM PRESENT			x\$140=	\$		x\$280=	\$	
				\$370.00			TOTAL	\$

Respectfully submitted,



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DECLARATION FOR PATENT APPLICATION

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TITLE : SPEAKER ASSEMBLY

DOCKET NO. : TRA-014

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